APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

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Street and No, or P.O. Box No.	, ofBeowawe
Nevada 89821 , he	reby make. S application for permission to appropriate the public
•	pplicant is a corporation, give date and place of incorporation; if a
	a joint venture of Placer Dome U.S. Inc.
and Kennecott Corporation	
	Inderground
1. The source of the proposed appropriation is	Underground Name of stream, lake, spring, underground or other source
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	8.0 c.f.s. second-feet One second-foot equals 448.83 gals. per min.
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3. The water to be used for	ning, milling; dewatering and domestic wer, mining, manufacturing, domestic, or other use. Must limit to one use.
4. If use is for:	
(a) Irrigation, state number of acres to be irrigated	**************************************
(b) Stockwater, state number and kinds of animals	to be watered
(c) Other use (describe fully under No. 12. "Rem	arks"
(d) Power:	
(1) Horsepower developed.	
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	ollowing point. within the SW4 SW4 Sec. 32, T.28N. Describe as being within a 40-acro subdivision of public
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survey, and by course and distance to a section corner. If on unsurveye	rner of Sec. 1, T.27N., R.46E., bears S. 45° and, if should be so stated.
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•	s 5 and 6, T.27N., R.47E., and all of Sections subdivision. If on unsurveyed land, it should be so stated.
31 and 32, 1.28N., K.4/E., M.D.M.	

7. Use will begin about January 1 Month and Day	nd end about December 31 of each year.
	ions of NRS 535.010 you may be required to submit plans and
specifications of your diversion or storage works.)	Drilled well, casing, pump and motor, with State manner in which water is to be diverted. i.e. diversion structure, ditches and
pipelines to place of use.	•

10.	Estimated cost of works \$200,000.00
	Estimated time required to construct works. 3 years If well completed, describe works.
11.	Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use 8 years
	Remarks: For use other than irrigation or stock watering, state number and type of units to be served or annual consumptive use:
	This and 15 companion applications seek to appropriate 40 c.f.s., the estimated
	amount needed for mining, milling, dewatering and domestic purposes. Estimated
	annual consumptive use: 1,061.573 m.g.a. for mining & milling 8,374.457 m.g.a. for dewatering for the combined 16 applications Please send copies of notices and correspondence to the undersigned agent
	By <u>S/William A. Nisbet, agent</u> 421 Court Street mpared bc/ bc ab/vw Elko, Nevada 89801
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	APPROVAL OF STATE ENGINEER
foll	This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing application, and do hereby grant the same, subject to the owing limitations and conditions:
tha of all wit ins acc met Com Sta use	understood that the amount of water herein granted is only a temporary allowance and the final water right obtained under this permit will be dependent upon the amount water actually placed to beneficial use. It is also understood that this right must ow for a reasonable lowering of the static water level. This well shall be equipped hat two (2) inch opening for measuring depth to water. If the well is flowing, a ve must be installed and maintained to prevent waste. A totalizing meter must be talled and maintained in the discharge pipeline near the point of diversion and wrate measurements must be kept of water placed to beneficial use. The totalizing er must be installed before any use of water begins, or before the Proof of plation of Work is filed. This source is located within an area designated by the te Engineer, pursuant to NRS 534.030. The State retains the right to regulate the of the water herein granted at any and all times. This permit does not extend the permittee the right of ingress and egress on
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(PERMIT TERMS CONTINUED)

This permit will allow for the dewatering of the pit area. Any water obtained as a result of this dewatering operation shall be used first by the permittee for mining, milling, heap leaching, drilling, road watering and other related mining and milling uses herein after referred to as mining and milling uses within the described place of use of this permit in an amount not to exceed 2367 acre-feet annually (1467 gallons per minute). This limit includes any evaporative and system losses.

Any water produced from this dewatering operation in excess of 2367.0 acre-feet annually shall be returned to the Crescent Valley Groundwater Basin by shallow infiltration. The design of the infiltration site and the delivery system to the shall be submitted to the State Engineer prior to any diversion of water to the infiltration site.

The issuance of this permit does not waive the requirements that the permit holder obtain other permits from State, Federal and local agencies and is specifically issued contingent upon approval by the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection of the disposal of water from the dewatering project.

This permit is subject to the "Pipeline Gold Project, Groundwater and Surface Water Monitoring Plan" submitted to the State Engineer on August 2, 1993.

The State Engineer may require additional monitoring should conditions warrant such modification.

The State Engineer retains the right to regulate pumping from the dewatering project and/or any other groundwater withdrawals herein authorized to protect the public interest and existing rights. This permit is issued under the provisions of NRS 534.120(2) as a preferred use.

A monthly report shall be submitted to the State Engineer within 15 days after the end of each month which shall include: the volume of water pumped from each well, the rate of diversion pumped from each well, the measurement of pumping water level (drawdown) from each well, the volume of water consumptively used for mining and milling uses, the amount of water diverted to the infiltration site, the amount of water evaporated both from the infiltration site and the delivery system to the infiltration site.

This permit incorporates the provisions of "Order Adopting Rules for Well Spacing and Modification of Regulations for Water Well and Related Drilling in the Southern Area of the Heretofore Designated Crescent Valley Ground Water Basin", entered October 6, 1993, Order Number 1082, on file in the office of the State Engineer.

The issuance of this permit is subject to the stipulation between Cortez Joint Venture and Lander and Pershing Counties dated May 21, 1993, on file in the office of the State Engineer under Permit 57133.

The total combined diversion rate under Permits 57133; 57134; 57135; 57136; 57137; 57138; 57139; 57140; 57141; 57142; 57143; 57144; 57145; 57146; 57147; 57148; 57798; 57799; 57800; 58366; 58368; 58370; 59072; 59073; 59074 and 59075 shall not exceed 67 c.f.s. (30,072 g.p.m.) and the total combined withdrawal of water under these permits shall not exceed 48506 acre-feet annually.

The State Engineer recognizes that this appropriation When combined with other permits causes a large cone of depression which may take the water levels many years to return to equilibrium (pre-development).

